IN THE CLAIMS

- 1. (Original) A wall patch, comprising: a substantially planar body; an adhesive located on a first surface of the body; a ready-to-paint second surface of the body; and an aperture in the body.
- 2. (Original) The wall patch of claim 1 wherein the body further comprises a perimeter having a feathered edge.
- 3. (Currently Amended) The wall patch of claim 1 wherein the ready-to-paint outward surface comprises a textured surface.
- 4. (Original) The wall patch of claim 1 wherein the body is formed from a tear-resistant material.
- 5. (Original) The wall patch of claim 1 wherein the body is formed of biaxially oriented three-ply polypropylene film.
- 6. (Original) The wall patch of claim 1 wherein the aperture is an aperture sized to surround a wall-mounted element.
- 7. (Original) The wall patch of claim 6 wherein the wall-mounted object is selected from the group consisting of an electrical outlet element, a switch element, a thermostat element, a telephone element, a cable television element, and a networking connection element.
- 8. (Original) The wall patch of claim 1 wherein the aperture has a boundary defining an open area less than a wall open area defined by a wall hole.
 - 9. (Original) The wall patch of claim 1, further comprising: an aperture reinforcement at least partially surrounding the aperture.

- 10. (Original) The wall repair system of claim 9 wherein the aperture reinforcement is constructed of rigid metal.
- 11 (Original) The wall repair system of claim 9 wherein the aperture reinforcement is constructed of plastic.
 - 12. (Cancelled)
 - 13. (Cancelled)
 - 14. (Cancelled)
 - 15. (Cancelled)
 - 16. (Cancelled)
 - 17. (Cancelled)